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SUBJECT: REPORTED ABDUCTION OF COLONEL ERNEST R. MORGAN

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APPRECIATE EMBASSY DOING ALL POSSIBLE TO ASCERTAIN COL
MORGAN'S WHEREABOUTS IN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES
OBTAINING IN BEIRUT. TO ENHANCE OUR UNDERSTANDING OF
ABDUCTION, CAN YOU PROVIDE DETAILS OF CAB DRIVER'S REPORT,
APPRAISAL OF ITS RELIABILITY, MILITARY SITUATION IN AREA
WHERE MORGAN APPARENTLY SEIZED, ASSESSMENT OF GOL'S ABILITY
AND READINESS TO BE HELPFUL, AND INDICATION OF ACTIONS
EMBASSY CONSID-
ERS MOST LIKELY TO BE PRODUCTIVE. NEED
UP-DATE REPORT BY OPENING OF BUSINESS, JULY 1. INGERSOLL

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